

Application Serial No.: 09/878,356
In Response to the Advisory Action dated March 9, 2004

REMARKS

Applicants thank Examiner Weiner for the courteous and helpful discussion on March 15, 2004, with Applicants' representative. During this discussion both parties discussed the content of the Advisory Action, and the requirements for attaining allowance for the above-identified application. Applicants' representative notes that the amendments contained herein reflect this discussion.

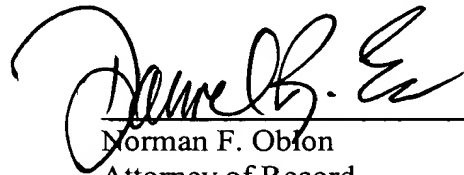
For instance, the Specification is amended in order to show the proper relationship to cross-related applications. Replacement drawings are concurrently filed herewith that have English Figure labels. Finally, Claim 62 is amended to correct the typographical error that appeared in the term "1-2-ethoxymethoxyethane" to read "1,2-ethoxymethoxyethane."

No new matter will be added upon entry of the amendment. Upon entry of the amendment claims 48-66 will be active. Withdrawal of the rejection and objections and is respectfully requested.

Applicants respectfully submit that the present application is now in condition for allowance. Early notification thereof is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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